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**From:** Alert, Tana  
**Sent:** Wed 8/12/2015 8:37:42 PM  
**Subject:** FW: Backup Region Assistance - heads Up  
[Gold King Mine deployment instructions.doc](#)

Hi, can I send this out to R9 staff deploying? Will they use the same account #?

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**From:** Lee, Barbara  
**Sent:** Monday, August 10, 2015 2:12 PM  
**To:** Alert, Tana  
**Subject:** FW: Backup Region Assistance - heads Up

FYI. What R10 developed. Hope it helps.

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**From:** Townsend, Tom  
**Sent:** Monday, August 10, 2015 2:09 PM  
**To:** Lee, Barbara

**Subject:** RE: Backup Region Assistance - heads Up

Good Afternoon Barbara,

I received the attached deployment instruction for Dan Heister to respond in support of Region 9 in dealing with the Gold King Mine release, but I understand that Region 9 will be establishing their own cross funding label and line of accounting (LOA).

I am at the point of submitting the TA for processing but need to have your information so I can get the label attached to the TA by the Cincinnati Travel Help Desk. Have you been able to get cross funding label established yet?

Thanks for all of your assistance.

Tom

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**From:** Guria, Peter

**Sent:** Monday, August 10, 2015 7:50 AM

**To:** Townsend, Tom  
**Cc:** Moon, Wally; Lee, Barbara; Heister, Dan; Terada, Calvin  
**Subject:** RE: Backup Region Assistance - heads Up

Trying to get that established this morning. I gave Dan the R8 cross funding info, but Dan will be supporting the Region 9 effort in the response.

Barbara lee will transmit this to you as soon as we have it.

**From:** Townsend, Tom  
**Sent:** Monday, August 10, 2015 7:19 AM  
**To:** Heister, Dan; Terada, Calvin  
**Cc:** Guria, Peter; Moon, Wally  
**Subject:** RE: Backup Region Assistance - heads Up  
**Importance:** High

Good Morning All,

I will be the POC for creating and managing Dan's TA. Do we have a cross funding label yet to assign to the TA?

Dan, Please let me know how much your lodging is expected to be and any other misc items you need covered for the TA. Did you leave your POV at PDX?

Any & all information I can get to assist Dan is greatly appreciated.

Thanks,

Tom

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**From:** Heister, Dan

**Sent:** Monday, August 10, 2015 6:58 AM

**To:** Terada, Calvin

**Cc:** Guria, Peter; Moon, Wally

**Subject:** Re: Backup Region Assistance - heads Up

At PDX right now, arrive ABQ 1619 hrs (no ability to fly into Farmington). Have car and room will arrive late, will check in at CP early on 8/11. Return flight 8/22. Cell # Personal Phone/Ex. 6

Sent from my iPhone

On Aug 9, 2015, at 4:38 PM, Terada, Calvin <[Terada.Calvin@epa.gov](mailto:Terada.Calvin@epa.gov)> wrote:

Yes, just to make sure you have wheels, let's make sure you have a car.

Calvin J. Terada, Manager

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On Aug 9, 2015, at 4:13 PM, Heister, Dan <[Heister.Dan@epa.gov](mailto:Heister.Dan@epa.gov)> wrote:

Pete, should I plan on renting a car?

Sent from my iPhone

On Aug 9, 2015, at 3:56 PM, Guria, Peter <[Guria.Peter@epa.gov](mailto:Guria.Peter@epa.gov)> wrote:

Deployment package for the Gold King Response is attached.

Info is dynamic, but best we have right now. If Dan can fly straight to Farmington it's easier than Albuquerque and driving.

**From:** Terada, Calvin  
**Sent:** Sunday, August 09, 2015 10:12 AM  
**To:** Guria, Peter  
**Cc:** Field, Chris; Meer, Daniel; Moon, Wally  
**Subject:** Re: Backup Region Assistance - heads Up

Pete,

Thanks for the note. Let me look for a few volunteers, but I am not sure whether they will be ready to deploy tomorrow.

Can you tell me where they are going and for how long?

I will be your POC for deployments.

Thank you,

Calvin J. Terada, Manager

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On Aug 9, 2015, at 9:27 AM, Guria, Peter <[Guria.Peter@epa.gov](mailto:Guria.Peter@epa.gov)> wrote:

Hey Chris:

Having a good summer? We've gotten a bit busy here with the Typhoon response, and now the Gold King AMD spill.

We are going to need and OSC or two for travel tomorrow if you can spare them. I'll call you and/or Calvin after this morning's 0930 and 1000 calls.

Sorry for the late notice, but this just ramped up overnight.

-Pete

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